UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA SAVANNAH DIVISION

DUSHON ANTWAN GREEN,)	
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	CV423-284
SHERIFF JOHN T. WILCHER, et al.,))	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

The Court previously denied *pro se* plaintiff Dushon Antwan Green's request to proceed *in forma pauperis* because it determined he is not indigent. *See* doc. 11. He was directed to remit the required filing fee by December 4, 2023, and advised that failure to pay the fee would result in dismissal. *See id.* at 3-4. The deadline for his payment has passed and he has not responded to the Court's Order. *See generally* docket. His Complaint is, therefore, **DISMISSED**. Doc. 1.

A district court retains the inherent power to police its docket and to enforce its orders. Link v. Wabash Railroad Co., 370 U.S. 626, 630-31 (1962); Mingo v. Sugar Cane Growers Co-op, 864 F.2d 101, 102 (11th Cir. 1989); Jones v. Graham, 709 F.2d 1457, 1458 (11th Cir. 1983); Brown v.

Tallahassee Police Dept., 205 F. App'x 802, 802 (11th Cir. 2006). Under

the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, a complaint may be dismissed

either for failure to prosecute or for failure to comply with an order of the

court. Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b). Additionally, this Court's Local Rules

provide that the Court may dismiss an action for want of prosecution

when a party has "willful[ly] disobe[yed] . . . any order of the Court" or

for "[a]ny other failure to prosecute a civil action with reasonable

promptness." S.D. Ga. L.R. 41.1(b), (c). Green's failure to pay the fee as

directed merits dismissal. Accordingly, his Complaint is **DISMISSED**

for failing to pay the required filing fee, failing to obey a court order, and

failing to prosecute his case. Doc. 1. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED

to **CLOSE** this case.

SO ORDERED, this 4th day of January, 2024.

CHRISTOPHER L. RAY

United States Magistrate Judge

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA